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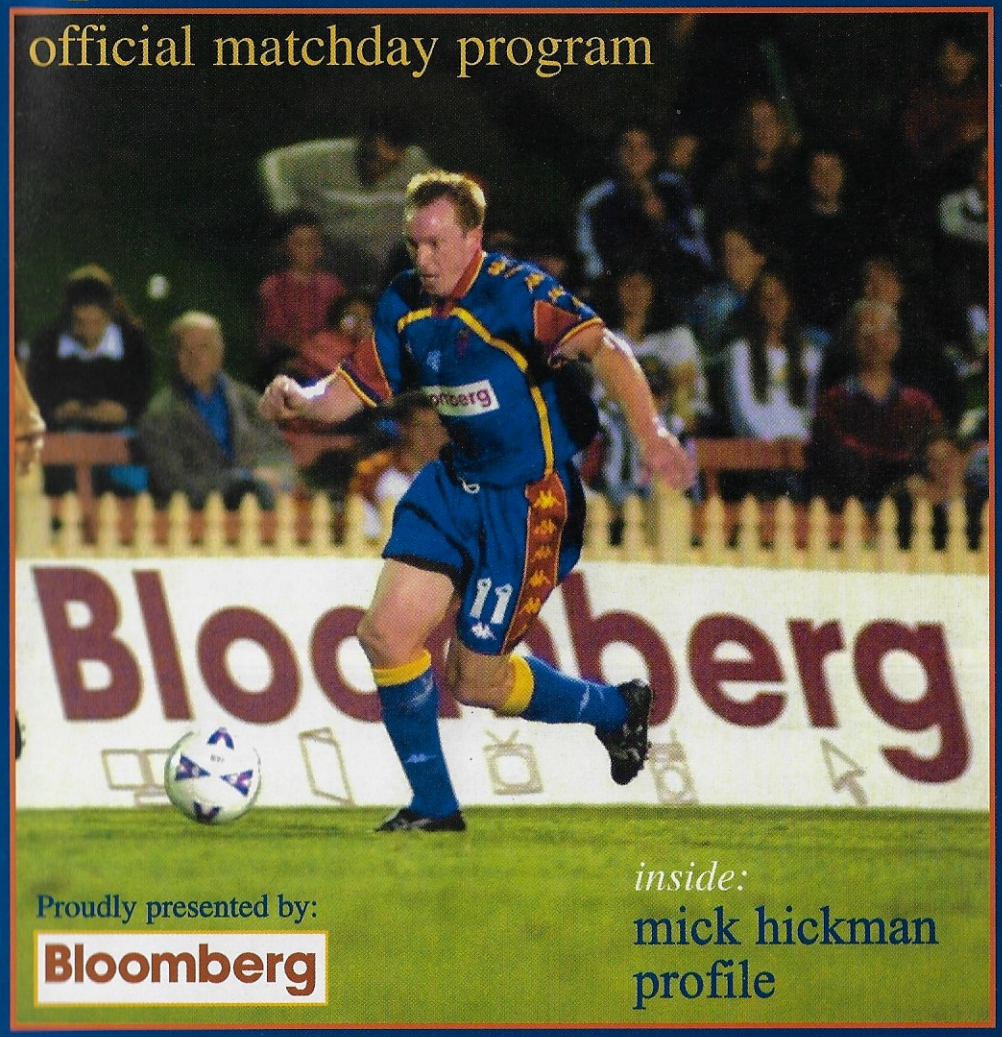

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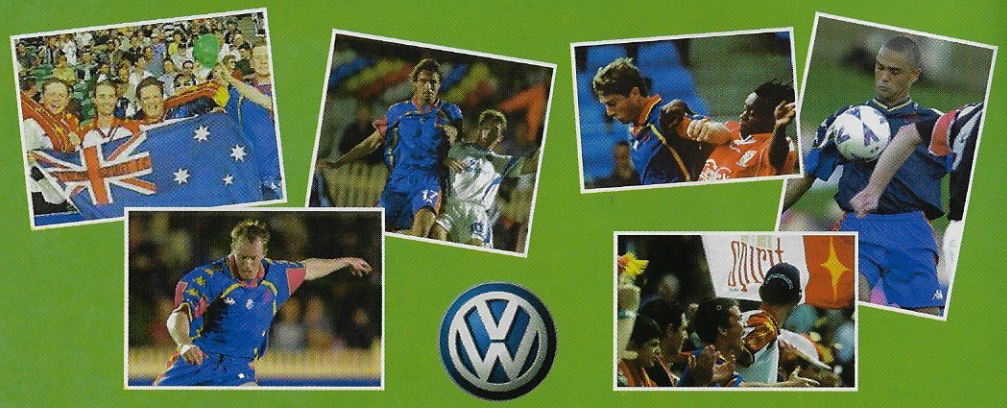

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NEXT HOME GAME: Round 29

25/4/01 Northern Spirit vs Wollongong Wolves

7.30pm North Sydney Oval

robbie slater column

Tonight we welcome Parramatta Power to North Sydney Oval in a fixture and rivalry that has turned into a very good derby game over the past two years.

I love derby games.

No matter what league you play in around the world there is nothing like the passion and excitement that is generated by a dead set derby game and the feeling at Northern Spirit v Parramatta matches is bubbling.

In the first round encounter at Parramatta Stadium there was a tremendous atmosphere with the two sets of fans playing off each other. Let's hope that continues tonight.

On the field the two sides have also put on a few good games over the past two years. Three games have yielded 12 goals but Northern Spirit is yet to get a point off Parramatta.

A 4-3 loss in an absolute thriller at Parramatta Stadium was followed by a 2-0 loss at North Sydney Oval and this year Parramatta won 3-0 in a match that had everything.

It is about time we turned the result around and got off the mark against our neighbours.

Last weekend's match against Brisbane was frustrating but looking back we did create many chances through good

football. We weren't just knocking the ball forward and hoping. We got in behind Brisbane several times with clever passing and making smart runs.

That has been missing in recent times but we were creative against Brisbane. It was just a pity that our shooting let us down.

Special mention should go to Matthew Bingley who had a great game against Brisbane after suffering from a virus all week. Bingers put that aside and put in 110 per cent, typifying the never say die attitude we are striving to capture at Northern Spirit.

Playing at the back, he conducted his defensive duties well but got forward on numerous occasions. It was unfortunate that we could not get him the ball on a couple of instances as he makes good, direct runs when he gets forward.

Hopefully he can repeat that tonight and we can get over the top of Parramatta.

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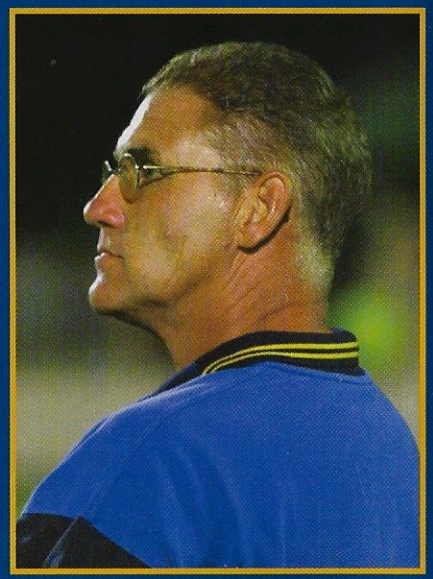

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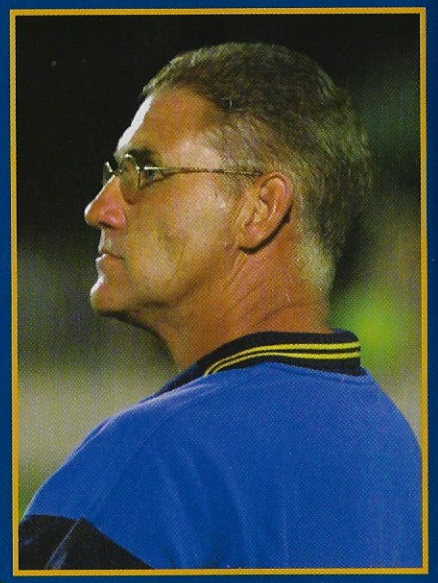


MF: Is that an avenue you will look to next season, bringing in loan players?

I will only bring in loan players if it benefits this football club - if I can achieve what I want to with Australian players I will, otherwise I will look overseas. I have made it quite clear though that I am not prepared to bring in loan players just for the sake of it.

MF: Its been nine or ten years since you coached in the NSL - how much of a disadvantage is that?

I think it's an advantage for me because in that time I have worked overseas and been used to high standards. The only disadvantage I can see is for the players, as my work ethic is probably higher than theirs, so it's really a disadvantage for them!

MF: What are you hoping to achieve between now and the end of this season?

I think we have to look at not only improving, but also increasing the player's work ethic to the level I want it to be at and to what is needed. It's not just the senior players but right through to the juniors as well.

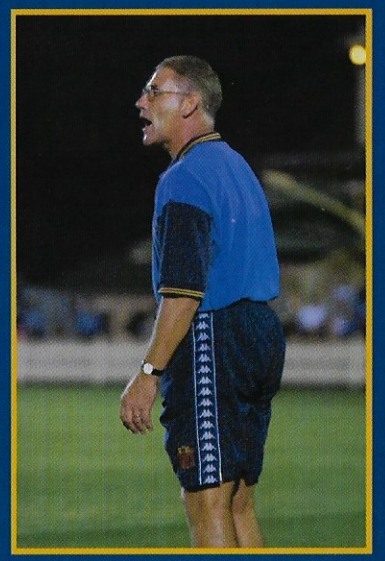
MF: Will you be looking at bringing someone in to help you out with the coaching?

I already have! (Fomer Marconi Youth Coach) Jean Paul de Marigny is just about to start with us. I coached him at Sydney City, and not only is he a winner but he is also a good lad. He always kept in touch with me, and he has worked with not only the seniors but also the juniors.

There is a lot of hard work to be done, and some big decisions to make over the next few weeks, but as I say not only will I give it my best shot but I will also do what is best for Northern Spirit.

Mick Hickman NSL career coaching statistics

Season	NSL club	Games	W	D	L
1985	Sydney City	3	2	1	0
1986	Sydney City	1	1	0	0
89/90	Sydney Olympic	27	15	6	6
90/91	Sydney Olympic	26	8	13	5
91/92	Sydney Olympic	28	12	10	6
00/01	Northern Spirit	9	2	3	4
TOTAL		94	40	33	21



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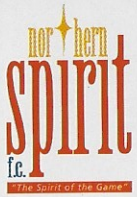

1	John Perosh
2	Michael Cunico
3	Matthew Langdon
4	Matthew Bingley
5	Mike Smith
6	Scott Thomas
7	Robbie Slater
8	Robert Enes
9	Alex Moreira
10	Gabriel Mendez
11	Troy Cranney
12	Ben Burgess
14	Noel Spencer
15	Tony Perinich
16	Simon Catanzaro
17	Lee Feeney
18	Daniel Watkins
19	Ryan Griffiths
20	Paul Henderson
21	Adam Griffiths
22	Jacek Sobczyk
25	Craig Foster
26	Joseph Schirripa
27	Stuart Howson
29	Todd Macrae

COACH: Mick Hickman

Andrew Crews	1
David Barrett	2
Ahmad Elrich	3
Nick Orlic	4
Alex Tobin	5
Steve Eagleton	7
Walter Ardone	8
Joe Miller	9
Joel Griffiths	10
Steve Berry	11
Damien Brown	12
Milan Blagojevic	13
Matt Thompson	14
Michael Santalab	15
Brendan Santalab	17
Les Pogliacomi	20
Hamilton Thorp	21
Joe Vrkic	22
Andrew Clark	23
Liam Reddy	24
Brett Holman	25
Luke Roodenburg	26
Matthew Biggins	27
Peter Bennett	28

COACH: David Mitchell

opposition lowdown

Tonight we welcome the players, fans and officials of Parramatta Power to North Sydney Oval.

Its been a frustrating season so far for our neighbours at Parramatta Stadium, and a series of inconsistent results means David Mitchell's men sit just one point and two places above us on the ladder.

Last week the Power were second best despite playing at home against the Football Kingz, going down 3-1.

Injuries to goalkeepers Andrew Crews and Les Pogliacomi saw one new face and one familiar face donning the gloves against the Kingz. Liam Reddy was the back up for Crews and Pogliacomi, but just in case anything happened to him the experienced Mike Gibson was on the bench.

With well over 300 NSL games under his belt defender David Barrett is one of many former Sydney United players at the Power, while attacking wing-back Ahmad Elrich showed his worth with the Parramatta Eagles in the NSW Super League before being snapped up by the club.

Skipper Alex Tobin played an incredible 436 NSL games for the Adelaide City Force before joining the Power at the start of the season and is now the most experienced NSL player EVER, going past former teammate Sergio Melta's 445 NSL games. At the age of 35 Tobin has plenty of football left in him yet, and could set an appearance record that will take some beating.

Damien Brown joined the club a few weeks into the NSL season from NSW Premier League club Blacktown, and the former Demon has been in fine form since making the switch.

Completing the defence is Joe Vrkic, another ex-Sydney United player. The 24-year old defender has over 100 NSL games to his credit, and alongside Tobin and Barrett forms an impressive rear-guard.

Like Tobin Nick Orlic was a new recruit at the start of the season, although the former South Melbourne defender found himself on the bench last week against the Kingz.

Scottish import Joe Miller was probably the most high-profile NSL signing this season, with the former international spending many successful years with both Celtic and Aberdeen in the Scottish Premier Division, while also in the starting X1 last week was Steve Berry, like Brown another former Blacktown City Demon.

Australian U20 representative Michael Santalab played a full game last week and is now past 50 NSL appearances, while former Leichhardt Tiger Luke Roodenburg was the Power's scorer last week. The big striker has done well since coming into the side and has already scored a number of important goals.

The Power also have another player who has been involved with the Australian U20 side, midfielder Matt Thompson, who played 4 games for the club last season but has really come into his own this year.

Steve Eagleton and former Canberra Cosmos player Andrew Clark made up the bench last week, and with the likes of Joel Griffiths, Peter Bennett, Milan Blagojevic and Hamilton Thorp making up the squad it seems only a matter of time before the Power will be up there with the NSL front-runners.

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match report with Dave Mason

MOREIRA STARS IN DAY OF DRAMA IN BRISBANE

Northern Spirit 1 (Alex Moreira 87) drew
Brisbane Strikers 1 (Peter Grierson 19)
Ballymore
Crowd: 1609

Alex Moreira scored a wonderful free kick with five minutes remaining to give Northern Spirit a 1-1 draw with Brisbane at Ballymore last Sunday in a night of drama and intrigue.

The first twist occurred in the 15th minute when Ben Burgess was replaced by Danny Watkins. Burgess aggravated a hamstring injury and his loss was compounded four minutes later when Peter Grierson opened the scoring with Brisbane's first shot of the game.

Until that point it was all Northern Spirit as Moreira hit the post and a host of chances went unfinished.

Brisbane still led 1-0 at half time but it was hard to know how as Spirit completely dominated the match, continuing to press forward and dominated after Brisbane took the lead.

This week there was no drop in confidence as Mick Hickman's men marched forward.

Brisbane playmaker Fernando Rech, who had not really been in the game, was replaced at half time but it did little to alter the course of the match as Spirit took up where it left off in the first 45 minutes.

With wave after wave of attacking raids bombarding the Brisbane goal the break looked certain to come when Nick Meredith, who had already picked up one yellow card in his 250th NSL match, handled the ball and was shown the red card in the 66th minute.

Surely against 10 men the goals would come.

Chance after chance came and they were missed before Moreira stepped up to put a right foot screamer into the top corner.

It was unlikely way to score the equaliser after Spirit had created a multitude of chances through some productive play.

For Northern Spirit, Matthew Bingley was outstanding - especially considering he had been ill with a virus all week and was still sick on the day of the game. He got forward well with some trademark runs and was his usual solid self in defence.

Troy Cranney also played well against his former club before succumbing to a foot injury late in the game.

Stuart Howson

spirit round-up

R26 results

4.04.01	South Melbourne	3 - 1	Sydney United
6.04.01	Parramatta Power	1 - 3	Kingz FC
7.04.01	Wollongong Wolves	3 - 1	Sydney Olympic
7.04.01	Canberra Cosmos	7 - 1	Eastern Pride
7.04.01	Marconi Stallions	0 - 2	Perth Glory
8.04.01	**Brisbane Strikers**	**1 - 1**	**NORTHERN SPIRIT**
8.04.01	Melbourne Knights	1 - 1	Adelaide City Force

Newcastle United (BYE)

R27 draw

Fri 13-04-01	Kingz FC vs Canberra Cosmos	7:30pm	Ericsson Stadium
Fri 13-04-01	**NORTHERN SPIRIT vs Parramatta Power**	**7:30pm**	**North Sydney Oval**
Sat 14-04-01	Perth Glory vs Melbourne Knights	7:00pm	Perth Glory
Sat 14-04-01	Eastern Pride vs Wollongong Wolves	7:00pm	Mobil Park
Sun 15-04-01	Adelaide City Force vs Brisbane Strikers	8:00pm	Hindmarsh Stadium
Mon 16-04-01	Sydney United vs Newcastle United	3:00pm	Syd Untd Sports Ctre
Wed 18-04-01	Sydney Olympic vs South Melbourne	7:30pm	Belmore Sports Grd

BYE - Marconi Stallions

2000/01 Competition ladder

POS	TEAM	P	W	D	L	Bye	GF	GA	PT	POS	TEAM	P	W	D	L	Bye	GF	GA	PT
1	South Melbourne	26	16	5	3	2	53	19	59	9	Sydney United	26	8	6	10	2	38	47	36
2	Perth Glory	26	13	7	4	2	65	31	52	10	Parramatta Power	26	9	2	14	1	37	44	32
3	Wollongong Wolves	26	13	7	4	2	65	35	52	11	Canberra Cosmos	26	7	4	13	2	43	42	31
4	Sydney Olympic	26	14	4	6	2	49	30	52	**12**	**NORTHERN SPIRIT**	**26**	**6**	**7**	**11**	**2**	**35**	**37**	**31**
5	Melbourne Knights	26	11	6	8	1	52	41	42	13	Brisbane Strikers	26	7	7	11	1	45	48	31
6	Marconi Stallions	26	10	7	8	1	36	32	40	14	Newcastle United	26	4	8	12	2	28	47	26
7	Adelaide City Force	26	9	6	9	2	44	45	39	15	Eastern Pride	26	3	5	16	2	32	49	20
8	Kingz FC	26	8	7	9	2	42	39	37										

*For all matches which Carlton played, or were scheduled to play, three competition points will be awarded to their opponents with a 3-0 score.

Northern Spirit 2000/2001 National League Fixtures and results

Rnd	Date	Versus	H/A	Time/Score
1	15th Oct	Sydney United	A	1-2
2	20th Oct	Sydney Olympic	H	0-0
3	28th Oct	Eastern Pride	A	2-0
4	3rd Nov	Kingz FC	H	4-2
5	11th Nov	Newcastle Breakers	H	0-0
6	17th Nov	Adelaide City Force	A	2-3
7	24th Nov	Perth Glory	H	2-0
8	3rd Dec	Carlton	A	3-0*
9	8th Dec	Marconi Stallions	H	0-0
10	17th Dec	Melbourne Knights	A	1-1
11	22nd Dec	Brisbane Strikers	H	1-0
12	29th Dec	Parramatta Power	A	0-3
13	5th Jan	Canberra Cosmos	H	0-2
15	19th Jan	South Melbourne	H	1-2
16	26th Jan	Sydney United	H	1-2
17	4th Feb	Sydney Olympic	A	1-2
18	9th Feb	Eastern Pride	H	0-1
19	16th Feb	Kingz FC	A	2-1
20	23rd Feb	Newcastle United	A	4-2
14	27th Feb	Wollongong Wolves	A	2-2
21	4th Mar	Adelaide City Force	H	2-3
22	10th Mar	Perth Glory	A	1-4
23	16th Mar	BYE**		
24	24th Mar	Marconi Stallions	A	0-0
25	30th Mar	Melbourne Knights	H	1-4
26	8th Apr	Brisbane Strikers	A	1-1
27	13th Apr	Parramatta Power	H	7.30pm
28	21st Apr	Canberra Cosmos	A	6:30pm
29	25th Apr	Wollongong Wolves	H	7.30pm
30	29th Apr	South Melbourne	A	3.00pm

*final score was 1-1, but now stands as a 3-0 victory.
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player profile

Spirit Matchday finds out from goalkeeper Paul Henderson just what his favourite things are:

Paul Henderson

Nickname:	Hendo
Height:	186cm
Date of Birth:	22.4.76
Place of Birth:	Sydney
Signed from:	Sutherland
Previous Clubs:	Enfield Rovers
Position:	Goalkeeper
Squad Number:	20

Favourite meal:
McDonald's.

Favourite pre-match meal:
Pasta or chicken.

Favourite drink:
Water.

Favourite music:
All sorts.

Favourite ever player:
Maradonna.

Favourite player in your position:
Peter Schmiechel or Mark Bosnich

Favourite other sport:
Like most sports.

Favourite other sports star:
Michael Jordan.

KIDS CLUB

QUICK QUIZ !!!

See how you go with these quick questions - see if you can get all three right and score a hat-trick!

1. In our three previous encounters with the Parramatta Power, what is our record?
2. Stuart Howson scored his first NSL goal in the 4-1 home defeat by Melbourne Knights. Which other current Spirit player also sits on one goal for the club?
3. True or False - 10 current Spirit players have played in more than 100 career NSL games?

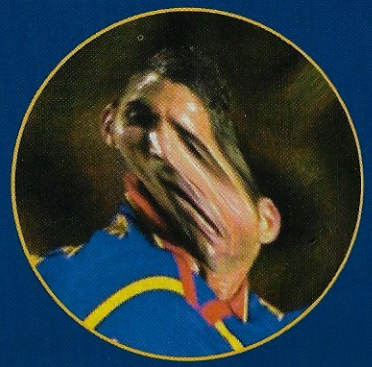
SPOT THE BALL

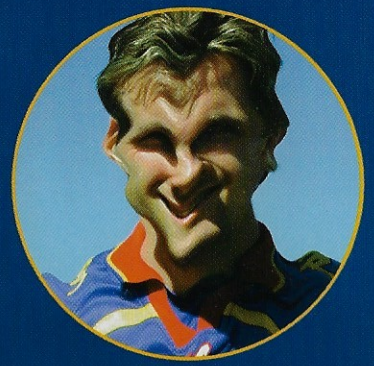
Which one of the five footballs is the real one?

Answers: Quick Quiz- 1. Played 3 - Lost 3 2. Simon Catanzaro 3. False (9: Biloskapic, Bingley, Cranney, Enes, Foster, Mendez, Slater, Smith, Thomas)
Spot the Ball answer: Ball A

QUICK QUIZ

1: Who are these Spirit players?





1: Who are these Spirit players?
2: Which player should go where the question marks are in this list of current Northern Spirit players and goals scored for the club?

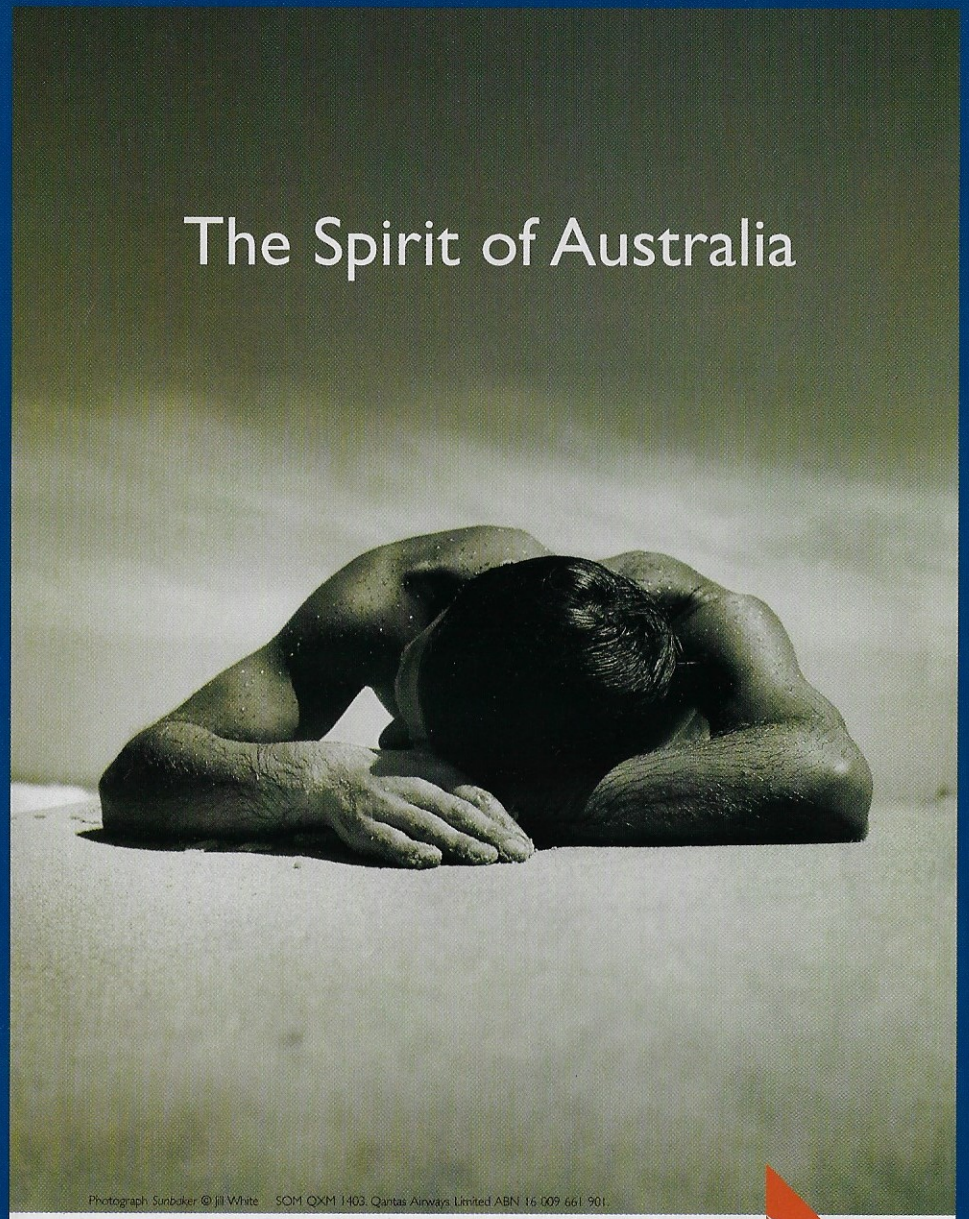
Ben Burgess	14
Robbie Slater	10
?????????	7
Matthew Bingley	6

Meet the Mascot

Congratulations to tonight's lucky OYSC winner who will be running out with the team.

Name: Daniel Deblaere
Age: 9 years
From: Killarney Heights
Favourite Player: Matthew Langdon

Answers: 1. Craig Foster & Jacek Sobczyk 2. Matthew Langdon



latest news & views

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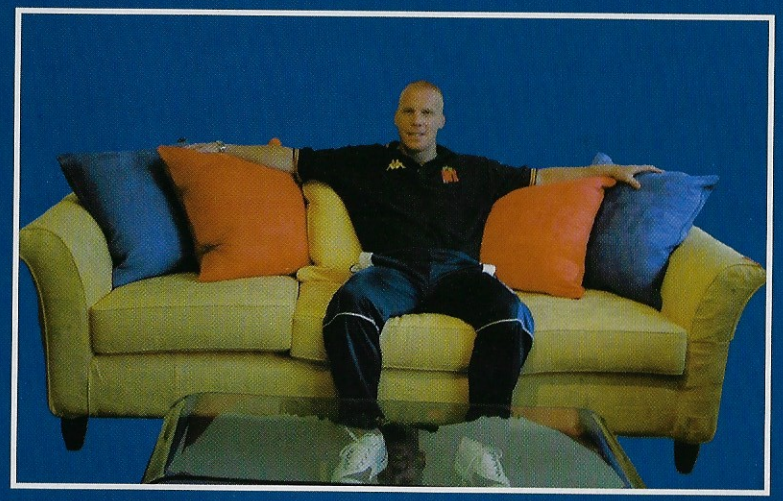

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national youth league

Two wins in their last two games has given the Northern Spirit youth team a massive boost as they look to finish in the top four of the National Youth League.

A round 25 victory over the Sydney Olympic Academy side was helped when our opponents had a man sent off in the 13th minute, although Spirit were already ahead at that stage through Mike Smith.

Spirit ended up 7-1 winners, with both Todd MacRae and Daniel Watkins grabbing a brace, while Damion Pisano and Michael Prentice netted Spirit's other goals.

Last weekend Spirit secured a fine 3-0 victory over the QAS, a team that had beaten us at Christie Park just a few weeks earlier.

Although Spirit left it late the 75th minute goal to John Majurovski opened the floodgates, and Pisano and Ryan Griffiths scored in the 89th and 90th minutes respectively to keep Ian Crook's men on target for that finals berth.

Youth Team results so far:

R1 Sydney United 2-3 NORTHERN SPIRIT
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R3 Newcastle United Colts 0-6 NORTHERN SPIRIT
R4 NORTHERN SPIRIT 2-0 N.S.W.I.S
R5 NORTHERN SPIRIT 2-0 Newcastle United Youth
R6 A.I.S 1-0 NORTHERN SPIRIT
R7 ACT Academy 0-3 NORTHERN SPIRIT
R8 Bye
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R19 NSWIS 1 - 2 NORTHERN SPIRIT
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R14 Wollongong Wolves 1 - 2 NORTHERN SPIRIT
R21 NORTHERN SPIRIT 1 - 1 AIS
R22 NORTHERN SPIRIT 5 -1 ACT ACADEMY
R11 NORTHERN SPIRIT 1 - 2 QAS
R23 Bye
R24 Marconi Stallions Youth 3 -2 NORTHERN A round
R25 NORTHERN SPIRIT 7 - 1 Syd Olympic Academy
R26 QAS 0 - 3 NORTHERN SPIRIT

Upcoming games:

R28 - Saturday 21st April 4:00pm v Canberra Cosmos - Bruce Stadium
R29 - Wednesday 25th April 4:00pm v Wollongong Wolves - Christie Park

NATIONAL YOUTH LEAGUE 2000/2001 NORTHERN DIVISION LEAGUE LADDER

Team	P	W	D	B	L	F	A	Pts
A.I.S.	25	20	3	2	2	73	28	63
Marconi Stallions	23	17	2	1	4	65	17	53
Parramatta Power	24	16	3	1	5	70	31	51
NORTHERN SPIRIT	24	14	3	2	7	58	33	45
Wollongong Wolves	25	13	6	2	6	53	28	45
Newcastle United	23	13	4	2	6	55	28	43
Marc. Stallions Colts	22	11	2	2	9	50	38	35
Sydney Olympic	23	10	4	2	9	52	44	34

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Q.A.S.	25	11	1	1	13	38	57	34
Canberra Cosmos	24	9	3	2	12	47	46	30
N.S.W.I.S.	26	9	3	2	14	32	60	30
Sydney United	24	9	1	2	14	42	48	28
Syd Olmpic Acdy	25	4	5	1	16	36	65	17
N,castle United Colts	24	2	0	2	21	12	74	6
ACT Academy	24	1	2	2	21	11	94	5

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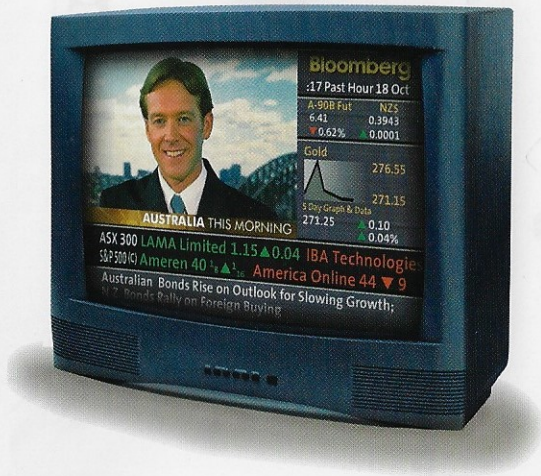

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